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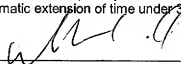
Docket No.: 12928/100161; 569,1031  
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In re application of: **Jean Paul MARDON et al.**  
Application No.: 10/624,757  
Filed: July 21, 2003  
For: **TUBE FOR A NUCLEAR FUEL ASSEMBLY, AND METHOD FOR MAKING SAME**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a **Response to Office Action (8 pgs)** in the above-identified application.

- ☒ Also transmitted herewith are:
- ☒ Petition for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
  - ☐ Return Receipt Postcard
  - ☐ Other:
- ☒ Payment in the amount of **\$130.00** will be paid via Deposit Account No. 50-0552 for the following fees:
- ☐ Filing fee for additional claims under 37 C.F.R. 1.16
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- ☒ Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by check submitted herewith.
  - ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.
  - ☒ Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check submitted herewith, and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136.

  
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